PART 7. CONTESTED CASE HEARINGS

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R28.14701 Eligibility for a hearing.

Rule 701. A hearing provided for in R 28.14604 and R 28.14605 of part 6 of these rules shall comply with the requirements of the administrative procedures act and these rules.

R28. 14702 Appointment of presiding officer.

Rule 702. The commission shall designate hearing officers to be appointed by the executive director to preside at individual contested case hearings.

R28. 14703 Proposal for decision.

Rule 703. In a hearing, the presiding officer shall issue a proposal for decision, which is based on the findings of fact and conclusions of law. The proposal for decision shall be issued within a reasonable period of time and without undue delay. All parties to the contested case shall be given the proposal for decision.

R28. 14704 Final decision.

Rule 704. The proposal for decision shall be presented to the full commission at a regularly scheduled meeting following the presiding officer's issuing of the proposal for decision. The commission shall make the final decision.